



3600 DT15 Rec'd PCT/PTO JUN 06 2002

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Dragne et al.

COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

: Group Art Unit: 3641

Serial No. 10/009.157

: Examiner: Not assigned

Filed: April 1, 2002

For: METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR  
CONTROLLING A BLASTING  
NETWORK

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231	
5/29/02	<u>L Murray</u>
Date	Lea Murray

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Commissioner for Patents  
Office of Initial Patent Examination  
Customer Service Center  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

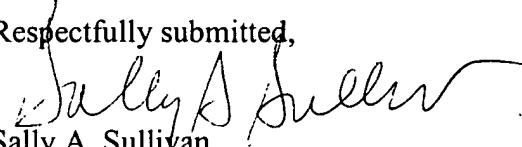
Applicants hereby advise the Patent and Trademark Office of an error on the filing receipt for the above-referenced application (copy enclosed). The third Applicant's city of residence is incorrect. "Kempton" should read --Kempton Park--.

RECEIVED  
JUL 03 2002  
GROUP 3600

Please issue a new filing receipt to correct the error.

It is believed that the present request does not require the payment of any fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16-1.17. If this is incorrect, however, please charge any required fee to deposit account no. 07-1969.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Sally A. Sullivan  
Reg. No. 32,064

Greenlee, Winner and Sullivan, P.C.  
5370 Manhattan Circle, Suite 201, Boulder, Colorado 80303  
Ph: (303) 499-8080; FAX: (303) 499-8089  
Email: [winner@greenwin.com](mailto:winner@greenwin.com)  
Attorney docket no. 114-01  
leb: May 29, 2002

Receipt  
PCT  
#8/CFR  
5/29/02



COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231  
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE	GRP ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTY DOCKET.NO	DRAWINGS	TOT CLAIMS	IND CLAIMS
10/009,157	04/01/2002	3641	1882	114-01	4	17	2

CONFIRMATION NO. 8553

23713  
GREENLEE WINNER AND SULLIVAN P C  
5370 MANHATTAN CIRCLE  
SUITE 201  
BOULDER, CO 80303

FILING RECEIPT



\*OC000000008100912\*

Date Mailed: 05/16/2002

Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Filing Receipt Corrections, facsimile number 703-746-9195. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

Livia Dragne, Randburg, SOUTH AFRICA;  
Vivian Edward Patz, Kensington, SOUTH AFRICA;  
Christian Hoogenboezem, Kempton, SOUTH AFRICA;

Kempton Park

RECEIVED

JUL 03 2002

GROUP 3600

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

THIS APPLICATION IS A 371 OF PCT/AU00/00351 04/20/2000

Foreign Applications

AUSTRALIA 99/2823 04/20/1999

Projected Publication Date: Not Applicable, filed prior to November 29,2000

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

Title

Method of and system for controlling a blasting network

DOCKETED

Preliminary Class

MAY 24 2002 S.A.S

ENT'D MAY 24 2002

Greenlee, Winner, S...

---

**LICENSE FOR FOREIGN FILING UNDER  
Title 35, United States Code, Section 184  
Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 5.11 & 5.15**

**GRANTED**

The applicant has been granted a license under 35 U.S.C. 184, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" followed by a date appears on this form. Such licenses are issued in all applications where the conditions for issuance of a license have been met, regardless of whether or not a license may be required as set forth in 37 CFR 5.15. The scope and limitations of this license are set forth in 37 CFR 5.15(a) unless an earlier license has been issued under 37 CFR 5.15(b). The license is subject to revocation upon written notification. The date indicated is the effective date of the license, unless an earlier license of similar scope has been granted under 37 CFR 5.13 or 5.14.

This license is to be retained by the licensee and may be used at any time on or after the effective date thereof unless it is revoked. This license is automatically transferred to any related applications(s) filed under 37 CFR 1.53(d). This license is not retroactive.

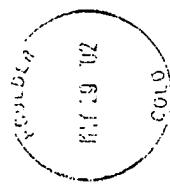
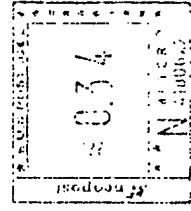
The grant of a license does not in any way lessen the responsibility of a licensee for the security of the subject matter as imposed by any Government contract or the provisions of existing laws relating to espionage and the national security or the export of technical data. Licensees should apprise themselves of current regulations especially with respect to certain countries, of other agencies, particularly the Office of Defense Trade Controls, Department of State (with respect to Arms, Munitions and Implements of War (22 CFR 121-128)); the Office of Export Administration, Department of Commerce (15 CFR 370.10 (j)); the Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of Treasury (31 CFR Parts 500+) and the Department of Energy.

**NOT GRANTED**

No license under 35 U.S.C. 184 has been granted at this time, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" DOES NOT appear on this form. Applicant may still petition for a license under 37 CFR 5.12, if a license is desired before the expiration of 6 months from the filing date of the application. If 6 months has lapsed from the filing date of this application and the licensee has not received any indication of a secrecy order under 35 U.S.C. 181, the licensee may foreign file the application pursuant to 37 CFR 5.15(b).

GREENLEE, WINNER and SULLIVAN, P.C.  
LAW OFFICES  
5370 MANHATTAN CIRCLE, SUITE 201  
BOULDER, COLORADO 80303

COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
OFFICE OF INITIAL PATENT EXAMINATION  
CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTER  
WASHINGTON D C 20231